

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

MICHAEL GRESHAM,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 1:12-cv-276

v.

Honorable Paul L. Maloney

JOHN PRELESNIK et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER DENYING LEAVE TO PROCEED

IN FORMA PAUPERIS ON APPEAL

This is a civil rights action brought by a state prisoner pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983.

On July 2, 2012, the Court entered an order (docket #4) denying Plaintiff leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* because he has “three strikes” within the meaning of 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g). Plaintiff has now filed a notice of appeal regarding that order, but he has failed to submit the \$455.00 filing fee. As outlined in the Court’s opinion and order denying him pauper status based on § 1915(g), Plaintiff is barred from proceeding *in forma pauperis* on this appeal. Plaintiff has twenty-eight (28) days from the date of entry of this order to pay the entire filing fee for appealing a civil action, which is \$455.00, to the Clerk of this Court. Plaintiff’s failure to comply with this order may result in dismissal of this appeal without prejudice by the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Dated: July 20, 2012

/s/ Paul L. Maloney

Paul L. Maloney

Chief United States District Judge

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